## **HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 946**

## By Miller

A RESOLUTION to commend Gabrielle Whitmore for exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, each legislative session this body is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, Gabrielle Whitmore is one such individual who distinguished herself in her role as a legislative intern for Representative Larry Miller; Gabrielle's work resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators she assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, a student at University of Memphis, where she is highly regarded by her peers, Gabrielle has achieved academic success while majoring in Political Science and participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including the Black Scholars Unlimited; and

WHEREAS, the daughter of Gregory and Lisa Whitmore, Gabrielle plans to attend law school and pursue a career as an attorney; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize herself with the characteristics and complexities of Tennessee state government and to further her studies, Gabrielle Whitmore brought her many abilities and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2014 session of the One Hundred Eighth General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, Gabrielle also aided in the weekly meetings of the Tennessee Black Caucus of State Legislators, for which Representative Miller is the Chairman; and

WHEREAS, throughout the 2014 legislative session, Ms. Whitmore surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern; and

WHEREAS, Gabrielle Whitmore performed her many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend Gabrielle Whitmore for outstanding service as a legislative intern for Representative Larry Miller and extend to her our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.